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11 J.C., a minor, by and through his Guardian ad
12 Litem, Beatriz Estrada

13 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
14 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

15 J.C., a minor, by and through his Guardian
16 ad Litem, Beatriz Estrada,

17 Plaintiff,

18 vs.

19 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA;
20 ALLIANCE MEDICAL CENTER;
21 SUTTER MEDICAL CENTER OF
22 SANTA ROSA; JEFFREY E. MECKLER,
23 M.D.; PATRICIA E. PERSOL, C.N.M.;
24 VIRGINIA MEADE, D.O., and DOES 1
25 THROUGH 50, inclusive,

26 Defendants.

Case No.:

**PETITION AND ORDER FOR
APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIAN AD
LITEM**

27 Petitioner states as follows:

- 28 1. Petitioner is a minor of the age of two years.
2. Petitioner is about to commence an action in this court against the UNITED

1 STATES OF AMERICA, ALLIANCE MEDICAL CENTER, SUTTER
2 MEDICAL CENTER OF SANTA ROSA, JEFFREY E. MECKLER, M.D.,
3 PATRICIA E. PIERSOL, C.N.M., AND VIRGINIA MEADE D.O. for medical
4 negligence, arising out of events that occurred before, during and after
5 Petitioner's birth.

- 6 3. Petitioner has no general guardian and no previous petition for appointment of a
7 guardian ad litem has been filed in this matter.
- 8 4. BEATRIZ ESTRADA, whose address is 390 Duncan Drive, Apt. 105, Windsor,
9 CA 95492, is a competent and responsible person, and fully competent to act as
10 my guardian ad litem. BEATRIZ ESTRADA is the mother of Petitioner.
- 11 5. Said BEATRIZ ESTRADA is willing to act as guardian ad litem for petitioner,
12 as appears by her consent attached hereto.

13 WHEREFORE, a petitioner moves the court for an order appointing BEATRIZ
14 ESTRADA as guardian ad litem of petitioner for the purpose of bringing action
15 against the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, ALLIANCE MEDICAL CENTER,
16 SUTTER MEDICAL CENTER OF SANTA ROSA, JEFFREY E. MECKLER, M.D.,
17 PATRICIA E. PIERSOL, C.N.M., AND VIRGINIA MEADE D.O. on the claim
18 hereinabove stated.

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20 DATED: June 24, 2014

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22 /s/Nichole D. Podgurski
23 THOMAS E. DONAHUE
24 NICHOLE D. PODGURSKI
25 Attorneys for Plaintiff

CONSENT OF NOMINEE

I, BEATRIZ ESTRADA, the nominee of the Petitioner, consent to act as guardian ad litem for the minor petitioner in the above action.

DATED: June 20, 2014


BEATRIZ ESTRADA

ORDER

The petition for an order appointing BEATRIZ ESTRADA as guardian ad litem for petitioner in this matter is GRANTED. IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: June 27, 2014


UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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